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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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1. (currently amended) An arc chamber of an ion implanter system comprising: an arc chamber enclosure for an electron emissive source, said source extending into said arc chamber enclosure through a wall of said arc chamber enclosure, said wall through which said source extends comprising an <u>alumina</u> insulator material surrounding said source.

2-4. (canceled)

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5. (currently amended) The arc chamber of Claim 1 wherein a substantial portion of said wall through which said source extends into the arc chamber comprises an said alumina insulator material.